



Things to Do

Sheridan Theater is showing movies again...

The Sheridan Theater at 3260 Sheridan Road, has reopened. A military ID is now required for ticket purchases. Admission is \$5 for adults, \$2.75 for children younger than 11 and free for children younger than 6 years.

Thursdays' movie theme is date night and a couple can get two tickets, popcorn and drinks for \$15. The 24-hour movie infoline is 580-353-5623 or visit www.shopmyexchange.com/ReelTimeTheatres/Movies-FtSill.htm. Scheduled movies can change without notice. Check out the **Fort Flicks** tab on this Cannoneer website.

... And there is a Free Movie

Sheridan Road Theater is showing an advance screening of Disney's "Planes" **Aug. 3** at 6 p.m. Tickets are free and can be picked up at the Main Exchange customer service area, at Burger King in the food court and at the Fort Sill Blvd. Express. If tickets are gone at these locations, a limited number of tickets will be available 15 minutes prior to the movie.

Cycling event

The Quartz Mountain Diamondback 100 road bike ride is **Aug. 3** at 7 a.m. at the Altus city reservoir. Choose from 100, 65, 40 or 30-mile courses through the scenic flatlands of Southwest Oklahoma. There will also be a 10-mile family fun ride around the Altus reservoir. The ride takes cyclists through Altus, Martha, Mangum, Granite, Quartz Mountain Nature Park, Blair and Friendship. Medical support will be available for all participants. For more information, call 580-471-5756.

UFC live

Join us at Fort Sill's Impact Zone **Aug. 3** for UFC 163 live on pay-per-view. Watch the World Featherweight Championship with Jose Aldo taking on Chan Sung Jung. Also fighting a Light Heavyweight bout are Lyoto Machida against Phil Davis. Doors open at 6 p.m. with a \$3 cover charge. The fight begins at 9 p.m. Enjoy food and beverage specials throughout the evening. For more information, call 580-442-0355.

Tennis camp

Fort Sill Youth Sports is offering a tennis camp **Aug. 5-6** from 9-11 a.m. for youths age 8-14. The cost is \$30 per child, which includes a T-shirt, tennis item, and lunch on Aug. 6. Registration is limited to 25. Youth must be registered with Child, Youth, and School Services and have a current sports physical to attend. Deadline for registration is **July 28**. Register online at <https://webtrac.mwr.army.mil> or call 580-442-5926 for more information.

Lawton Rangers Rodeo

The 75th Annual Lawton Rangers PRCA Rodeo is **Aug. 7-10** at 7:30 p.m. at LO Ranch Arena, 2004 SE 60th St. (Go east on Hwy. 7, turn right at KSWO-TV station)

Aug. 7 is Family Night: you can get five tickets for \$25. Aug. 8 tickets are two for the price of one. The rodeo dance is \$5. Aug. 9 Jeremy Gray is performing, and Crosswinds is performing Aug. 10. Tickets are \$12 in advance, \$15 at the gate. Children 5 and under get in free; children 6-12 get in for \$6. Tickets can be purchased at Crutcher's Western Warehouse, EZ Go, Ruben Shoes, Atwoods, and Fort Sill's Adventure Travel. There will also be a **parade Aug. 10** at 10 a.m. in downtown Lawton.



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Job placement event

A job placement event is **Aug. 8** at the Army Reserve Center on Fort Sill. The Employer Partnership Office of the U.S. Army Reserve and Hero2Hired are sponsoring the event. Over 20 military-friendly businesses and agencies will offer a variety positions locally and nationwide. Job applicants are encouraged to register as soon as possible to get a confirmed interview time from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The second portion will be open from 2-4 p.m. to anyone seeking a job that does not have an appointment. Go to hireSILLheroes.eventbrite.com to register.

Watermelon festival

Rush Springs, Okla. is hosting their annual Watermelon Festival **Aug. 10**. Activities include: 5K run at 7:30 a.m.; opening ceremonies at 9 a.m.; Tiny Tots contest at 10 a.m.; seed-spitting contest at noon; Elvis impersonator at 2 p.m.; free watermelon feed at 4 p.m.; the 77th Army Band from Fort Sill performs at 5 p.m. and Tiny Tots and Watermelon Queen coronation at 7 p.m. For more information, visit www.rushspringswatermelonfestival.com.

Know Your World

The Fort Sill International Student Division's "Know Your World" presentation will feature Jordan, **Aug. 15** at 7 p.m. at the Patriot Club ballroom. Learn about the country through a multimedia presentation by a Jordanian officer. The program is free and open to the public. Light snacks will be provided. For more information, call the ISD at 580-442-3554.

Movies at LETRA

The next free movie-on-the-beach will be "Kung Fu Panda" **Aug. 17** at 9:30 p.m. at Lake Elmer Thomas Recreation Area. The next movie will be "Monsters vs. Aliens" **Sept. 1**. Concessions will be available for purchase. For more information, call 580-442-5858.

Adult tennis, anyone?

Join Sgt. 1st Class Amy Phillips for tennis Thursdays from 7-9 p.m. at the courts next to Butner Field on Quinette Road. Tennis players from beginner to advanced are welcome. For more information, call Phillips at 580-442-5349, email her at amy.j.phillips.mil@mail.mil or call the Sports office at 580-442-5623. Phillips, a U.S. Tennis Association 3.5-level player can teach new players about the game and give a good match to advanced male or female players. Rackets and balls are not furnished.

Paintball

Make plans to play paintball at Arena Paintball Saturdays and Sundays excluding holidays. The price is \$27, which includes entry, marker, goggles, HPA tank, unlimited air refills, the paint pack with three pods, barrel sleeve and 500 rounds of paint. Paintball runs from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Register at the Outdoor Adventure Center and bring the receipt to Arena Paintball, 2607 SE 75th St. in Lawton.

Outdoor rental

The Outdoor Adventure Center has all the equipment you need to make the most of your outdoor time from flying discs to fishing boats. The center also reserves the five on-post picnic areas and parks. Medicine Creek, Ambrosia Springs, Quinette, Rucker and the Co-Op parks are available to reserve for family outings or unit functions at no charge. The center is in the RecPlex, 2502 Sheridan Road. Call 580-355-8270 for more information.



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Bowling deals

Twin Oaks Bowling Center offers specials throughout the week. Monday is bowl for \$1.75 all day long. Tuesday and Thursday are the Bowlopolis family special, starting at 2 p.m., with the last session starts at 8 p.m. Get a lane for up to six people with two-hour shoe rental, one large one-topping pizza and two pitchers of soda for \$30. Saturday night is head pin bowling. When a colored pin comes down as the head pin, get a strike and receive a coupon for a free game. The center offers party packages starting at \$3.25 per person. For more information on party options, call 580-442-2882 for information.

Farmers market

The Lawton Farmers Market is now opens on Saturdays, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Great Plains Coliseum, 920 SW Sheridan Rd. There will be locally grown vegetables, fresh eggs, homemade soaps, and baked goods. Food vendors serve breakfast and lunch on most Saturdays. For more information, visit the Lawton Farmers Market Facebook page.

LETRA cabins

Lake Elmer Thomas Recreation Area has lakeside rustic, wooden cabins available for reservation in three sizes. The small cabins accommodate up to four people; the medium cabins, six people; and large cabins, seven people. Prices are \$60, \$70 and \$80 for small, medium and large cabins. They are available for reservation to all, but there is an additional \$10 cost for civilians. The cabins come with all the amenities including furnishings; heat and air; a TV and DVD player; fully-stocked kitchens with dishes and silverware; and linens and towels. Reservations should be made up to two months in advance. For reservations or questions, call the Country Store at 580-442-5854.

Free park access

Active-duty military personnel and their family members can enter every national park free of charge, the Interior Department announced. An annual pass for national parks and federal recreation lands ordinarily costs \$80, but the annual pass for military personnel is free. The pass provides access to 2,000 national parks, wildlife refuges and other public lands. Logon to www.nps.gov/finda-park/passes.htm for more information.

RecPlex

The RecPlex has a wide variety of movies available at the Friday night movie since it now has an account with NetFlix and Gamefly. Popcorn and non-alcoholic beverages will be available. Each Saturday at 1 p.m., the RecPlex offers Kinect Tournaments. Gamefly provides games for the Xboxes with Kinect, Playstation 3, and Wii. Come out and test your gaming skills. For more information, call the RecPlex at 580-442-4824.

Volunteer program

Explore a new career, make friends, develop skills, build a volunteer portfolio, set your own hours, and create opportunities by volunteering. Active duty military may earn the Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, worth 10 points on the E-5 and E-6 promotion boards. Army Community Service and the American Red Cross offer free childcare for volunteers. For more information, call 580-442-4682/4916.

Live music

Fans of live music can find plenty of places to jam at www.okielive.com/events. There are more than 45 performance venues with performances and concerts almost every night of the week. You can also check out musician profiles and performance videos. For more information go to the website, or email to okielive@gmail.com.